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In re the application of: Gary L. Johnson
Serial No. 09/403,075
Filed May 10, 2000
For: MEKK1 Proteins and Fragments Thereof for Use in Regulating Apoptosis

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified application are the following:

- ☒ Amendment and Response to Office Action (including Appendix A, Version With Markings to Show Changes Made);
- ☒ Request for Three-Month Extension of Time (in duplicate);
- ☒ 21 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figures 2A-J, 3A-C, 4-6, 7A-C and 8A-B); and
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INDEP.	5	MINUS	*** 24	= 0

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RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x 9 =	\$0.00
x 42 =	\$0.00
+140 =	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$0.00

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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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x 18 =	\$0.00
x 84 =	\$0.00
+ 280 =	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$0.00

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